

COMPONENTS:

1. Methane; CH₄; [74-82-8]
2. Decane; C₁₀H₂₂; [124-18-5]

EVALUATOR:

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EVALUATION:

This system has been investigated by four groups. Reamer *et al.* (1) studied this system at temperatures between 311 K and 511 K, Beaudoin and Kohn (2) between 248 K and 423 K, Lin *et al.* (3) between 423 K and 583 K and Koonce and Kobayashi (4) between 244 K and 278 K. There appears to be fair agreement between all sets of data where they overlap, therefore all sets are classified as tentative.

There is good agreement (i.e., within 3%) between the data of Reamer *et al.* (1) and Lin *et al.* (4) at 237.8 °C. The agreement between the data of Beaudoin and Kohn (2) and Lin *et al.* (3) at 150 °C is fair (i.e., within 5%), the mole fraction solubilities of Beaudoin and Kohn (2) being slightly smaller. Although there is no directly comparable data from the measurements of Koonce and Kobayashi (4) and Beaudoin and Kohn (2) since the isotherm temperatures are different, it appears that the results of Beaudoin and Kohn (2) are slightly low and extrapolation of the data of Koonce and Kobayashi (4) to higher temperatures would give values in good agreement with those of Reamer *et al.* (1).

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310.92	31.03	0.2408	0.7970	0.7378	0.97209
	32.75	0.2720	0.7490	0.7682	0.9636
	34.47	0.3195	0.6880	0.8064	0.95137
	36.20	0.4110	0.5910	0.8609	0.92763
	344.26	0.00070	0.8414	0.00618	0.9792
	0.28	0.00142	0.9110	0.01246	0.9891
	0.41	0.00213	0.9364	0.01858	0.9924
	0.55	0.00285	0.9496	0.02473	0.9941
	0.69	0.00357	0.9577	0.03080	0.9950
	1.38	0.00714	0.9742	0.05997	0.9970
377.59	2.76	0.01429	0.9823	0.11395	0.9980
	4.14	0.02148	0.9840	0.16299	0.9982
	5.52	0.02875	0.9840	0.20798	0.9982
	6.89	0.03615	0.9827	0.24965	0.9980
	8.62	0.04574	0.9800	0.29835	0.9977
	10.34	0.05558	0.9770	0.34300	0.9974
	12.07	0.06585	0.9732	0.38474	0.9969
	13.79	0.07647	0.9682	0.42348	0.9963
	15.51	0.08750	0.9625	0.45965	0.9956
	17.24	0.09926	0.9533	0.49433	0.9945
	18.96	0.11117	0.9426	0.5273	0.9932
	20.68	0.1252	0.9295	0.5594	0.9915
	22.41	0.1400	0.9115	0.5909	0.9892
	24.13	0.1555	0.8900	0.6203	0.9863
	25.86	0.1730	0.8640	0.6498	0.9826
	27.58	0.1930	0.8330	0.6796	0.9779
	29.30	0.2169	0.7970	0.7107	0.9721
	31.03	0.2469	0.7550	0.7441	0.9647
	32.75	0.2850	0.7010	0.7795	0.9541
	34.47	0.3455	0.6240	0.8340	0.9364
410.93	0.14	0.00059	0.5554	0.00521	0.9172
	0.28	0.00124	0.7151	0.01089	0.9570
	0.41	0.00189	0.7864	0.01652	0.9703
	0.55	0.00253	0.8267	0.02201	0.9769
	0.69	0.00318	0.8538	0.02752	0.9811
	1.38	0.00643	0.9103	0.05429	0.9890
	2.76	0.01299	0.9421	0.10454	0.9931
	4.14	0.01966	0.9505	0.15103	0.9942
	5.52	0.02651	0.9536	0.19457	0.9945
	6.89	0.03352	0.9547	0.23528	0.9947
	8.62	0.04251	0.9530	0.28256	0.9945
	10.34	0.05205	0.9500	0.32754	0.9941
	12.07	0.06210	0.9432	0.37002	0.9933
	13.79	0.07241	0.9338	0.40915	0.9938
	15.51	0.08320	0.9230	0.44600	0.9907
	17.24	0.09440	0.9095	0.48044	0.9889
	18.96	0.1065	0.8935	0.5139	0.9867
	20.68	0.1195	0.8750	0.5463	0.8750
	22.41	0.1345	0.8530	0.5796	0.9809
	24.13	0.1512	0.8270	0.6124	0.9770
	25.86	0.1695	0.7941	0.6442	0.9716
	27.58	0.1920	0.7605	0.6782	0.9657
	29.30	0.2205	0.7182	0.7150	0.9576
	31.03	0.2579	0.6668	0.7551	0.9467
	32.75	0.3195	0.5900	0.8064	0.9274
	0.14	0.00044	0.2414	0.00389	0.7384
	0.28	0.00104	0.4202	0.00915	0.8654
	0.41	0.00163	0.5245	0.01428	0.9073

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410.93	0.55	0.00223	0.5932	0.01944	0.9282
	0.69	0.00283	0.6429	0.02456	0.9411
	1.38	0.00585	0.7647	0.04961	0.9665
	2.76	0.01202	0.8454	0.09741	0.9798
	4.14	0.01839	0.8751	0.14251	0.9842
	5.52	0.02499	0.8893	0.18525	0.9862
	6.89	0.03180	0.8954	0.22562	0.9870
	8.62	0.04077	0.8980	0.27380	0.9874
	10.34	0.05018	0.8955	0.31911	0.9870
	12.07	0.06020	0.8878	0.36234	0.9860
	13.79	0.07066	0.8772	0.40280	0.9845
	15.51	0.08173	0.8596	0.44120	0.9819
	17.24	0.09355	0.8384	0.47795	0.9787
	18.96	0.1063	0.8167	0.5134	0.9753
	20.68	0.1201	0.7933	0.5477	0.9715
	22.41	0.1360	0.7670	0.5827	0.9669
	24.13	0.1536	0.7342	0.6168	0.9608
	25.86	0.1746	0.6960	0.6524	0.9531
	27.58	0.2015	0.6510	0.6912	0.9430
	29.30	0.2400	0.5920	0.7369	0.9279
	31.03	0.3120	0.4900	0.8009	0.8950
444.26	0.14	0.00019	0.0501	0.00168	0.3187
	0.28	0.00076	0.1727	0.00670	0.6493
	0.41	0.00133	0.2625	0.01168	0.7595
	0.55	0.00191	0.3324	0.01669	0.8154
	0.69	0.00249	0.3878	0.02166	0.8489
	1.38	0.00541	0.5483	0.04603	0.9150
	2.76	0.01146	0.6868	0.09325	0.9511
	4.14	0.01773	0.7441	0.13802	0.9627
	5.52	0.02427	0.7693	0.18077	0.9673
	6.89	0.03105	0.7804	0.22135	0.9693
	8.62	0.04000	0.7861	0.26987	0.9702
	10.34	0.04957	0.7843	0.31632	0.9699
	12.07	0.05977	0.7751	0.36058	0.9683
	13.79	0.07059	0.7600	0.40254	0.9656
	15.51	0.08241	0.7416	0.44343	0.9622
	17.24	0.09520	0.7200	0.4828	0.9580
	18.96	0.1098	0.6988	0.5225	0.9532
	20.68	0.1258	0.6712	0.5607	0.9477
	22.41	0.1449	0.6389	0.6005	0.9401
	24.13	0.1691	0.6093	0.6435	0.9326
	25.86	0.1955	0.5405	0.6831	0.9125
	27.58	0.2390	0.4580	0.7359	0.8823
477.59	0.28	0.00026	0.0295	0.00230	0.2124
	0.41	0.00085	0.0891	0.00749	0.4646
	0.55	0.00145	0.1399	0.01272	0.5907
	0.69	0.00205	0.1837	0.01790	0.6663
	1.38	0.00515	0.3333	0.04391	0.8160
	2.76	0.01138	0.4873	0.09265	0.8940
	4.14	0.01788	0.5609	0.13904	0.9189
	5.52	0.02472	0.6019	0.18357	0.9306
	6.89	0.03183	0.6215	0.22579	0.9358
	8.62	0.04117	0.6308	0.27583	0.9381
	10.34	0.05113	0.6340	0.32342	0.9389
	12.07	0.06155	0.6301	0.36782	0.9379
	13.79	0.07320	0.6189	0.41199	0.9351
	15.51	0.08620	0.6000	0.45558	0.9301
	17.24	0.1007	0.5736	0.49833	0.9227

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		in liquid	in gas	in liquid,	in gas,
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477.59	18.96	0.1180	0.5440	0.54271	0.9137
	20.68	0.1402	0.5122	0.59125	0.9031
	22.41	0.1711	0.4640	0.64678	0.8848
	24.13	0.2260	0.3930	0.72147	0.8517
	0.14	0.00052	0.0246	0.00459	0.1828
510.93	0.28	0.00118	0.0534	0.01037	0.3335
	0.41	0.00458	0.1675	0.03922	0.6409
	0.55	0.01152	0.3015	0.09370	0.7929
	0.69	0.01880	0.3840	0.14528	0.8469
	1.38	0.02630	0.4300	0.19329	0.8700
	2.76	0.03398	0.4532	0.23783	0.8803
	4.14	0.04392	0.4665	0.28953	0.8858
	5.52	0.05430	0.4700	0.33746	0.8872
	6.89	0.06560	0.4672	0.38378	0.8861
	8.62	0.07780	0.4558	0.42804	0.8814
	10.34	0.09300	0.4328	0.47633	0.8713
	12.07	0.1160	0.3960	0.53791	0.8533
	13.79	0.1530	0.3400	0.61574	0.8205

COMPONENTS:		ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS:		
1. Methane; CH ₄ ; [74-82-8] 2. Decane; C ₁₀ H ₂₂ ; [124-18-5]		Koonce, K. T.; Kobayashi, R. <i>J. Chem. Eng. Data</i> <u>1964</u> , 9, 490-494.		
VARIABLES:		PREPARED BY:		
Temperature, pressure		C. L. Young		
EXPERIMENTAL VALUES:				
T/K	P/10 ⁵ Pa	Mole fraction of methane in liquid, x_{CH_4}		
277.59	17.34 22.66 28.27 37.70 52.19 63.82	0.0947 0.1234 0.1498 0.1923 0.2525 0.2901		
266.48	15.66 21.45 34.43 46.28 66.87	0.0920 0.1246 0.1928 0.2433 0.3185		
255.37	15.65 22.02 29.93 41.69 63.19	0.0982 0.1356 0.1783 0.2402 0.3248		
244.26	16.00 21.19 31.88 44.20 69.00	0.1103 0.1453 0.2061 0.2640 0.3641		
AUXILIARY INFORMATION				
METHOD/APPARATUS/PROCEDURE:	SOURCE AND PURITY OF MATERIALS:			
Non-magnetic stainless steel equilibrium vessel, contents stirred with magnetically operated ball bearing. Pressure measured using dead weight piston gauge. Decane metered into a known amount of methane in cell. Pressure measured after equilibrium established. Details in source.	1. Dried, purity 99.7 mole per cent, 0.2 mole per cent nitrogen. 2. Phillips Petroleum sample, purity 99.35 mole per cent.			
ESTIMATED ERROR: $\delta T/K = \pm 0.056$; $\delta P = \pm 0.1-0.15\%$; $\delta x_{CH_4} = \pm 2\%$ (estimated by compiler).				
REFERENCES:				

COMPONENTS:		ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS:				
1. Methane; CH ₄ ; [74-82-8] 2. Decane; C ₁₀ H ₂₂ ; [124-18-5]		Beaudoin, J.M; Kohn, J.P. <i>J. Chem. Engng. Data</i> , <u>1967</u> , 12, 189-191				
VARIABLES:		PREPARED BY:				
Temperature, pressure		C.L. Young				
EXPERIMENTAL VALUES:		Mole fraction of methane in liquid, x_{CH_4}	in vapor, y_{CH_4}			
T/K	P/MPa					
423.15	1.01 2.03 3.04 4.05 5.07 6.08 7.09	0.0324 0.0664 0.0990 0.1311 0.1631 0.1935 0.2214	0.926 0.964 0.973 0.978 0.980 0.982 0.983			
373.15	1.01 2.03 3.04 4.05 5.07 6.08 7.09 8.11 9.12 10.13	0.0372 0.0735 0.1080 0.1417 0.1730 0.2022 0.2298 0.2542 0.2766 0.2989	0.988 0.994 0.996 0.996 0.997 0.996 0.996 0.996 0.996 0.996			
348.15	1.01 2.03 3.04 4.05 5.07 6.08 7.09	0.0412 0.0789 0.1155 0.1498 0.1829 0.2153 0.2430	0.998 0.998 0.998 0.998 0.998 0.998 0.998			
AUXILIARY INFORMATION						
METHOD /APPARATUS/PROCEDURE:	SOURCE AND PURITY OF MATERIALS:					
Borosilicate glass cell. Temperature measured with platinum resistance thermometer. Pressure measured on Bourdon gauge. Details in ref. (2). Samples of methane added to decane, equilibrated, vapor phase composition calculated assuming ideal gas behaviour liquid phase composition estimated from known overall composition and volumes of both phases.	1. Phillips Petroleum Co. sample, purified as in ref. (1); final purity 99.5 mole per cent. 2. Phillips Petroleum Co. sample purity 99 mole per cent.					
ESTIMATED ERROR: $\delta T/K = \pm 0.07$; $\delta P/MPa = \pm 0.01$; $\delta x_{\text{CH}_4}, \delta y_{\text{CH}_4} = \pm 0.0014$.						
REFERENCES:						
1. Kohn, J.P.; <i>J. Am. Inst. Chem. Engrs. J.</i> <u>1961</u> , 7, 514.						
2. Kohn, J.P. Kurata, F.; <i>Petrol Process.</i> , <u>1956</u> , 11, 57.						

COMPONENTS:

1. Methane; CH₄; [74-82-8]
 2. Decane; C₁₀H₂₂; [124-18-5]

ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS:

Beaudoin, J.M.; Kohn, J.P.

J. Chem. Engng. Data, 1967, 12,
189-191

EXPERIMENTAL VALUES:

T/K	P/MPa	Mole fraction of methane	
		in liquid	in vapor

x_{CH_4}

y_{CH_4}

348.15	8.11	0.2679	0.998
	9.12	0.2920	0.998
	10.13	0.3152	0.998
323.15	1.01	0.0450	-
	2.03	0.0867	-
	3.04	0.1259	-
	4.05	0.1622	-
	5.07	0.1968	-
	6.08	0.2291	-
	7.09	0.2569	-
	8.11	0.2822	-
	9.12	0.3082	-
	10.13	0.3344	-
298.15	1.01	0.0486	-
	2.03	0.0951	-
	3.04	0.1379	-
	4.05	0.1767	-
	5.07	0.2120	-
	6.08	0.2443	-
	7.09	0.2748	-
	8.11	0.3040	-
	9.12	0.3330	-
	10.13	0.3610	-
273.15	1.01	0.0560	-
	2.03	0.1086	-
	3.04	0.1553	-
	4.05	0.1991	-
	5.07	0.2388	-
	6.08	0.2763	-
	7.09	0.3120	-
	8.11	0.3443	-
	9.12	0.3741	-
	10.13	0.4040	-
248.15	1.01	0.0702	-
	2.03	0.1330	-
	3.04	0.1901	-
	4.05	0.2408	-
	5.07	0.2850	-
	6.08	0.3256	-
	7.09	0.3635	-
	8.11	0.4000	-
	9.12	0.4350	-
	10.13	0.4708	-

COMPONENTS:		ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS:						
1. Methane; CH ₄ ; [74-82-8]		Lin, H-M.; Sebastian, H.M.; Simnick, J.J.; Chao, K-C.						
2. Decane; C ₁₀ H ₂₂ ; [124-18-5]		<i>J. Chem. Engng. Data</i> , <u>1979</u> , 24, 146-9.						
VARIABLES:		PREPARED BY:						
Temperature, pressure		C. L. Young						
EXPERIMENTAL VALUES:								
T/K	p/atm.	p/MPa	Mole fraction of methane in liquid, <i>x</i> _{CH₄}	Mole fraction of methane in gas, <i>y</i> _{CH₄}				
423.2	30 40 50 60 70	3.04 4.05 5.07 6.08 7.09	0.1075 0.1375 0.1722 0.2035 0.2309	0.9738 0.9780 0.9801 0.9811 0.9819				
511.0	27.2 54.4 85.1 119.1 153.1 170.1 184.4	2.76 5.51 8.62 12.07 15.51 17.24 18.68	0.0914 0.1866 0.2853 0.3855 0.4840 0.5430 0.5946	0.8029 0.8725 0.8912 0.8911 0.8737 0.8563 0.8318				
542.8	30.10 50.31 100.05 125.02 149.45	3.050 5.098 10.138 12.668 15.143	0.0946 0.1706 0.3508 0.4440 0.6682	0.6795 0.7638 0.8051 0.7901 0.7116				
AUXILIARY INFORMATION								
METHOD/APPARATUS/PROCEDURE:	SOURCE AND PURITY OF MATERIALS:							
Flow apparatus with both liquid and gas components continually passing into a mixing tube and then into a cell in which phases separated under gravity. Liquid sample removed from bottom of cell and vapor sample from top of cell. Composition determined by gas chromatography. Details in source and ref. (1).	1. Matheson sample with purity better than 99 mole per cent. 2. Aldrich Chemical Co. sample purity better than 99 mole per cent.							
ESTIMATED ERROR:								
$\delta T/K = \pm 0.2$; $\delta p/MPa \leq \pm 0.03$; $\delta x_{CH_4}, \delta y_{CH_4} = \pm 2\%$.								
REFERENCES:								
1. Simnick, J.J.; Lawson, C.C.; Lin, H-M.; Chao, K-C.; <i>Am. Inst. Chem. Engrs. J.</i> , <u>1977</u> , 23, 469.								

COMPONENTS:	ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS:
1. Methane; CH ₄ ; [74-82-8]	Lin, H.-M.; Sebastian, H. M.; Simnick, J. J.; Chao, K.-C.
2. Decane; C ₁₀ H ₂₂ ; [124-18-5]	<i>J. Chem. Engng. Data</i> <u>1979, 24, 146-9.</u>

T/K	p/atm.	p/MPa	Mole fraction of methane in liquid, in gas,	
			x_{CH_4}	y_{CH_4}
563.3	29.97	3.037	0.0911	0.5528
	50.04	5.070	0.1744	0.6690
	74.88	7.587	0.2744	0.7118
	99.65	10.097	0.3817	0.7055
	109.99	11.145	0.4399	0.6835
	114.62	11.614	0.4652	0.6604
583.1	30.24	3.064	0.0857	0.4133
	50.05	5.071	0.1794	0.5476
	70.25	7.118	0.2834	0.5749
	79.78	8.084	0.3481	0.5646
	85.23	8.636	0.4032	0.5177